

## TRAVELERS' RAILWAY GUIDE.

**Central Vermont Railway.**  
Trains leave Barre for White River Junction and Boston, and for stations at 8:20 and 11:55 a. m. and 1:10 p. m. Also leave Barre for White River Junction, Rutland, Burlington, Montpelier, New York at 8:45 p. m.  
Trains leave Barre for Burlington, St. Albans, Montpelier and way stations at 6:35 a. m., 1:45, 6:45 p. m. and 11:55 a. m.  
**Montpelier & Wells River Railroad.**  
Trains leave Barre for Wells River, connecting at that point with trains going both north and south, at 7:25 a. m., 12:25 and 5:25 p. m. The 12:25 train connects with train for Boston, and north for Lisbon, Littleton, Fayans and Lancaster, also with Montreal express, and the 7:25 and 5:25 trains with St. Johnsbury trains.  
Trains leave Barre for Montpelier at 7:25, 10:25 a. m., 12:25, 3:25, 4:25 and 5:25 p. m.  
**Electric Street Railway.**  
Cars leave square in Barre for Montpelier at 15 minutes of and 15 minutes past the hour. Leave Montpelier for Barre on the hour and half hour until 10 p. m.

## FURS!

Very Latest Designs and Kinds for Ladies and Gents.

I believe I have the best line of furs east of Boston, and I KNOW that my PRICES cannot be duplicated ANYWHERE. If you are in the market for furs DON'T buy until you look at my stock and GET MY PRICES. If you have furs to be remodeled or repaired, bring them in, or if you want anything made to order specially, come in and get my prices.

Special bargains on the following:  
Fox Shawl, 70 in. long, 9 in. wide, pillow stuff, price \$8.50 set  
Opusson set \$6.00

## I. STEKOLCHICK

Corner Main and State Streets,  
Over Wheatley's Store  
MONTPELIER, VERMONT



We have something new to show you. It's a new style sleigh with a special low down gear and a great, wide, roomy, seat—wide enough for three, it's called the

## Sofa Sleigh

It is equipped with genuine Vermont shifting shafts and wide shoes. It is a high grade hand made sleigh.

\$49.00. \$49.00. \$49.00.

**COLTON, Vehicles and Harness.**  
84 State Street, Montpelier, Vt.

## A CARD.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.  
Red Cross Pharmacy, E. A. Brown,  
G. H. Kendrick & Co., D. F. Davis,  
George L. Edison, J. D. McArthur,  
W. H. Miles & Co., McAllister Bros.,  
D. C. Howard, J. A. Cunningham,  
J. W. Parmenter.

## Dainty and Useful Christmas Gifts

Toilet Sets  
Manicure Sets  
Shaving Sets  
Safety Razor Sets  
Pocket Books  
Bill Books  
Stationery

These articles make useful gifts and we have them in many different designs and at lowest possible prices.

**D. F. DAVIS "The Druggist"**  
262 North Main St., Barre, Vt.

## Poultry Feeds

Averill Mills Dry Mash,  
Averill Mills Scratch Feed,  
Wheat, Barley, Buckwheat,  
Oyster Shells, Grit, etc.  
Page's Perfected Poultry Food.

## The Averill Mills,

Barre, Vermont

For Coughs, Colds, Whooping Cough, etc., there is nothing better than "White Pine Cough Lozenges." 100 in box for 25c, 50c and 1.00.

**D. F. DAVIS "The Druggist"**

## Ye Specialtie Shoppe

Resolved to keep pace with Dame Nature's demands;  
Miss Rowell has gifts from many lands.  
Armenian needlework, in mats, jabots and bows  
Are dream of loveliness, everyone knows.  
The aged weaver, with dexterous skill,  
Covered flasks and glasses, made baskets as well.  
From Russia leather, our Shaker friend makes  
Cases for her who "a stitch in time" takes.

Bags by the dozens, all colors, shapes and hues,  
Each one designed for a special use.  
Centers and pillow tops in gorgeous array  
Should adorn many homes on Christmas day.

There is neckwear, artistic, for matron and belle,  
Boxes and frames, having medallions  
Of towels, dollies, cushions and runners,  
A generous supply awaits early comers.

Nothing in artcraft has been overlooked.  
A choice list of gifts should here be booked.  
This rambling rhyme, though rudely constructed,  
Gives hints of a business well conducted.

If for choice gifts you have sought in vain,  
Your anxiety will end at 161 North Main.  
Miss Rowell is holding a continuous reception in her home where you will find no deception.

## CHELSEA

Sidney Jones, or Warren, finds a Winter Birth in County Jail.

Deputy Sheriff Dan D. Howe was in town Monday and committed to the county jail one Sidney Jones of Waterbury, Maine, to serve a term of seventy-two days for a second offense of intoxication, having been sent up by Justice of the Peace Homer W. Vail of Randolph. This is another instance of appreciation of kind treatment. Jones managed to get in most of the winter of 1908-09 in the local jail, having served two sentences here during that winter, and getting out the last time before it was warm enough to graze, he managed to do a little term in the Obedon county jail. He was registered here a year ago under the name of Sidney Warren.

Mrs. W. H. Sprague and son, John, visited friends in Barre City Saturday. Mrs. Caroline Sanford has exchanged her place on Court street with Elmer E. Wallace for his place on Jail street.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard P. Townsend left Monday for Boston, where they will meet their daughter, Miss Blanche Townsend, of Washington, D. C., and with her will spend the holidays in that city.

Gertrude M. Bacon, who is teaching in the high school at Claremont, N. H., arrived home Saturday evening to spend a two weeks' vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Bacon, of the west hill.

Sheriff H. T. Baldwin and Dr. George Parker of Wells River were in town Monday, making the trip as far as the height of land in Vermont by automobile, hiring a team at that place for the balance of the trip.

Madam Ann E. Goss left Monday morning for a short visit to friends in South Royalton, after which she will proceed to Canton, Mass., where she will spend several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Enoch Fish.

There was an old-fashioned "kitchen junket" at the home of Leon Cilley in South Washington Wednesday evening, December 15, and the wee sma' hours of the morning found the merry crowd still tripping the light fantastic.

Ernest M. Seaver of Washington was in town Saturday and his mother, Madam Seaver, who has spent the last two years with her sister, Mrs. Frances Bigby, returned with her son and will make her home with him in the future.

News was received here that triplets were recently born to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur P. Rogers of Stratford. The news of their death accompanied the news of their birth. Less than a year ago, a pair of twins were born to them.

The decree of foreclosure on the Chelsea mills property, which was purchased by George M. Medcalf, a few weeks since, has matured, and Mr. Medcalf now has become the owner of the property, and his many friends in town hope he will make the industry one of the most paying in town. Mr. Medcalf is a man of the most strict integrity and will give his patrons a square deal every time.

There was a large sale of personal property at the farm of Charles Davis on the east hill last Saturday, when there was a big crowd, and property sold well. Mr. Davis recently sold his farm to a gentleman from Plattsburgh, who will take possession January 1, 1910. Mr. Davis will remove to Plainfield, where his son, Dana Davis, is located.

Eugene E. Denmore left last Friday for Taunton, Mass., where he has accepted a position as attendant in the Massachusetts hospital for the insane.

Mr. Denmore has been a very faithful employee at the hobbin shop since last spring, and his many friends here regret his departure from town and wish him success in his new undertaking.

## EAST MONTPELIER.

Remember the concert and dance Friday evening, Dec. 24. Admission 75 cents, a couple, concert tickets 15 cents. Oyster supper by C. F. Dudley, 25 cents each.

**Mother's milk will supply the baby laxative enough, if she takes a candy Cascarel.**  
And the laxative will be natural, gentle, vegetable—just what baby needs. Try one and you'll know why millions of mothers use them.

West-packet box, 10-cent drug store. Adults now use a million boxes monthly. 50c

## CABOT.

Annual Meeting of the Congregational Church.

The annual business meeting of the Congregational church and society was held last Tuesday afternoon. These officers for the following year were elected: Clerk, Leon Haines; moderator, E. D. Waldo; prudential committee, S. B. Hildgett; treasurer, Mrs. S. B. Hildgett; trustee, B. G. Rogers; solicitor, A. M. Hodgdon, C. E. Austin, Mrs. W. E. Putnam; ushers, G. E. Barrett, A. C. Ainsworth; committee on New Year's dinner, Mr. and Mrs. C. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. H. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Barr; memorial committee, Miss Emily Smith.

J. G. Pike is slowly improving. Mrs. Nelson Kate has been seriously ill the past week.

E. D. Waldo was a business visitor in Montpelier recently.

J. S. Livingston was in St. Johnsbury a few days ago.

Henry Wetherbee of Burlington was in town last Tuesday.

Schools in town closed last Friday for a two weeks' vacation.

Mrs. Hattie Ward returned to her home in West Barre last week.

Miss Leah Bowditch of Whitefield is visiting relatives in this vicinity.

A. P. Burnham of Montpelier spent Sunday at Mrs. E. Haines.

H. F. Taylor of Barre was a guest at G. G. Haines' a few days ago.

Dwight Burnham has returned from Saratoga and is lumbering in Walden.

Mrs. K. O. Freeman and daughter, Mrs. J. T. Drero, were in Montpelier Friday.

Mrs. Walter Ford attended the O. E. S. district meeting held at Barre recently.

Frank Morse has returned from Connecticut, and says he did not like the country.

Miss May Ormsbee is spending her holiday vacation with her mother at N. B. Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Taber of North Chalmers were guests at H. H. Foster's, Wednesday.

Mrs. Alonzo Wheeler of Hardwick and two children visited her father, John Noyes, last week.

Mrs. L. A. Farrington of Walden was a guest of her mother, Mrs. Susan Walbridge, Tuesday.

Dr. Burbank attended the Medical association meeting at Waterbury last Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Walter Lane visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. R. Bates, in Montpelier Friday and Saturday.

The confederate social by the I. O. G. T. was well attended and a pleasant time enjoyed by all present.

Mrs. Seraphine Wiewel and daughter, Mrs. Gertrude Wells, were in Montpelier two days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Walbridge attended the state grange meeting, held at Burlington last week.

Dr. M. D. Warren and S. C. Vondy attended the meeting of the Mystic Shrine, held at Montpelier recently.

Some of the high school pupils and other townspeople attended the basketball game at Marshfield, Friday evening.

Charles Varney of New Hampshire, is in town as agent for fruit trees, ornamental shrubbery, etc., and will give you a call.

On account of protracted ill health, J. M. Fisher has resigned the agency of the Vermont Mutual Insurance company, where he has served so faithfully for the past 20 years.

G. J. Haines has been appointed to fill the vacancy.

A high wind, accompanied by snow, passed over this section of the country last week Monday and blew off a portion of the roof of Edwin Gould's horse barn. Reports from some are that they never heard the wind blow so hard before. There were some bad drifts on the hill, hindering the progress of rural mail carriers.

A meeting has been held to see about having the skating rink in running order again this winter. Only about \$50 has been raised. It is hoped that enough can be secured to put the ground in good shape for skating.

The picnic for the benefit of the small children there out of their sight than to have them on the mill pond.

Christmas will be duly celebrated at the Methodist church with appropriate exercises by the Sunday school, Friday evening. After the distribution of Santa Claus packages, anyone can find a warm chicken pie supper at the Congregational church and will be cordially welcome.

Supper will also be served from 5 to 7 for those who do not enjoy late suppers.

## EAST BARRE.

Schools closed Friday for a two weeks' vacation.

The whist party for this week has been postponed.

Miss Edith Robie is assisting her father in his store during the holidays. The Y's are planning for an entertainment in the near future. Further notice later.

The new floor has been laid in the opera house, which is now awaiting the final dressing.

Many of the store windows have been very appropriately decorated for the holiday trade and will remain open every night this week.

Winona Council, No. 8, D. of P., will meet Wednesday evening. As it is the annual election of officers, a full attendance is desired.

Mrs. Minard was at home Saturday but was called back to Waits River Sunday, because of a change for the worse in her sister's condition.

At the regular meeting of Millstone lodge last Friday evening, the following officers were elected: J. P. W. H. E. Sargent, W. Jennie A. Blanchard; V. W. M. W. Hyland; secretary, Fannie A. Cooney; financial secretary, Lillian H. Hutchins; treasurer, George A. French; chaplain, Lorette M. Avery; guide, Katie M. Sargent; guard, W. F. Blanchard; sentinel, David Watson; 3-year trustee, George H. Hutchins; representative to grand lodge, H. E. Sargent; and Lillian Hutchins; alternates, G. S. Cooney and Lillian Blanchard.

Alone in Saw-mill at Midnight, unmindful of dampness, drafts, storms or cold, W. J. Atkins worked as night watchman at Banner Springs, Tenn. Such exposure gave him a severe cold that settled on his lungs. At last he had to give up work. He tried many remedies, but all failed till he used Dr. King's New Discovery. "After using one bottle," he writes, "I went back to work as well as ever." Severe colds, stubborn coughs, inflamed throats and sore lungs, hemorrhages, croup and whooping cough get quick relief and prompt cure from this glorious medicine. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free, guaranteed by the Red Cross Pharmacy.

## FOOD FOR A YEAR

Meat.....300 lbs.  
Milk.....240 qts.  
Butter.....100 lbs.  
Eggs.....27 doz.  
Vegetables.....500 lbs.

This represents a fair ration for a man for a year.

But some people eat and eat and grow thinner. This means a defective digestion and unsuitable food. A large size bottle of

## Scott's Emulsion

equals in nourishing properties ten pounds of meat. Your Physician can tell you how it does it.

FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS  
Send the name of paper and this ad. for our beautiful Savings Bank and Child's Health-Book. Each book contains a Good Luck Penny.  
SCOTT & BOWNE, 409 Pearl St., New York

## GRANITEVILLE.

Odd Fellows, attention! The regular meeting of Green Mountain lodge, No. 7897, will be held Thursday evening, the 23d inst. Nomination and election of officers. A large attendance is requested. E. Sec.

Regular meeting of branch No. 12, Q. W. I. U. of N. A., will be held in Tuma's hall, Wednesday, December 2, at 7:30 o'clock sharp. All members are requested to attend. Per order corresponding secretary.

The regular meeting of Maple Leaf camp, M. W. A., will be held Thursday evening at 7 o'clock, December 23. Every member should make an effort to be present, as business of unusual importance will come before this meeting, and it demands your special attention. Per order of clerk.

## For Evening Hours The Rayo Lamp



Some of the sweetest hours of home-life are passed under the gentle, kindly light of the evening lamp.

If it be the Rayo Lamp, the light contributes an added charm—makes reading and sewing easy. There are no aching eyes after reading or sewing under the rays of the Rayo Lamp.

The Rayo Lamp diffuses a steady white light. It is the latest trying of any artificial light. Made of brass throughout—nickel plated—improved central draught burner.

The Rayo is a low-priced lamp, but you cannot get a better lamp at any price.

Once a Rayo user, always one  
Every Dealer Everywhere. If Not at Yours, Write for Descriptive Circular to the Nearest Agency of the

STANDARD OIL COMPANY  
(Incorporated)

## Christmas Gifts!

The silversmith drew generously from his "silver deposit," tracing with it wondrous designs for Miss Walker's choice selection. Silverware worthy of a modern Bacchus' banquet board, cups from which the royal heir would drink.

Cut Glass that seems to have stolen the rainbow's hues; stately candlesticks of glass and hammered brass seem to vie with ornaments and desk fittings in endless array.

Watches and clocks that run only with time and tide. Pandora's jewels seem to have found their true settings in the meshes of golden necklaces, rings, pins and bracelets, so artistic is their arrangement.

Nothing's camera has caught glimpses of nature seen only by the true artist. A rare feast of pictures awaits the connoisseur of art. Verily, the makers of ornaments, the designers in silver, the assayer of precious stones have selected their choicest gifts for your approval.

Visions from mythland are transformed into reality for the patrons of

**MISS WALKER,**  
161 North Main St. Barre, Vermont.

## Real Breakfast Enjoyment

TO THE MAJORITY OF PEOPLE, THE IMPORTANT ITEM IN THE BREAKFAST MENU IS THEIR CUP OF COFFEE. YOU WILL FIND JUST THE RIGHT, SATISFYING FLAVOR IN

## LA TOURAINE, "The Perfect Coffee"

A COFFEE NOTED THROUGHOUT THE UNITED STATES FOR ITS UNEQUALLED FLAVOR, STRENGTH AND AROMA.

THE UTMOST CARE HAS BEEN TAKEN IN SELECTING THIS COFFEE FOR OUR LEADER. WE ARE CONVINCED THAT IT IS SUPERIOR TO THE COFFEES USUALLY SOLD AT 35c.

## LA TOURAINE, "The Perfect Coffee"

IS ROASTED AND DELIVERED TO US AT FREQUENT INTERVALS AND GROUND WHEN ORDERED, INSURING YOU THAT RICHNESS AND FRAGRANCE TO BE FOUND ONLY IN FRESHLY ROASTED COFFEE.

IF YOU DEPEND UPON YOUR BREAKFAST CUP OF COFFEE, YOU WILL FIND SATISFACTION IN THE PLEASING FLAVOR OF

## LA TOURAINE, "The Perfect Coffee"

WE GUARANTEE EVERY POUND OR GLADLY DELIVER A LIBERAL SAMPLE FREE ON REQUEST.

FREE DEMONSTRATION THIS WEEK

**THE F. D. LADD CO.**

## WARREN.

Mrs. Thomas Bruce is visiting at her old home in Underhill.

Miss Kate Hudson of East Warren is at work at Albert Tucker's.

George Camp of Randolph was here on business one day last week.

Mrs. Effie Moore has been suffering with bronchitis for several days.

Robert English is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Ruth Hewitt, for a few days.

Karl Ferno of Northfield was at his uncle's, Will Ferno, a few days lately.

Mabel Varney of Randolph came Friday to spend a few days with friends here.

Miss Mildred Jones is home from school at Randolph for the Christmas vacation.

Mrs. Ethel Tucker has been quite ill the past few days, but is reported convalescing.

Mrs. Randa Raymond is stopping for the present with the family of her brother, C. A. Heath.

Mrs. J. P. Tucker was ill a few days not long since. Miss Louise Allen is also reported on the sick list.

Edward Gove is ill with a threatened attack of pneumonia. He is attended by Dr. Howe of Waitsfield.

Elmer Pierce of Montpelier high school is spending the Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Pierce.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank LaDue of Portland, Maine, have recently spent a few days with their grandmother, Mrs. Polly LaDue.

There will be a Christmas tree at the church next Friday evening. The exercises will consist of songs, recitations and exercises by the children.

Mrs. Robert Long fell last Friday and fractured her hip. Owing to her feeble health and advanced years, her condition is serious. Mrs. Nettie Carpenter is caring for her at present.

## EAST BARRE.

The stores in the village will be kept open every evening this week and all day Saturday.



KEEN KUTTER Safety Razors Fit All Faces.

## THE "ANGLE" OF THE KEEN KUTTER SAFETY RAZOR

is so exactly proportioned that when the blade is held against the face, the edge is in the exact position for a clean easy cutting of the beard.

WITHOUT HONING WITHOUT STROPPING

Each KEEN KUTTER blade is hardened, tempered and ground individually, insuring uniformity of temper and excellent cutting qualities. There is no scraping or pulling like you experience with other Safety Razors.

\$3.50 SILVER PLATED—BLACK LEATHER CASE GOLD PLATED—PIGSKIN CASE \$5.00

A Complete KEEN KUTTER SAFETY RAZOR OUTFIT consists of Holder and 12 sharp Norwegian Steel Blades, packed in a compact neat covered case.



New Blades... 5 for 25c

SOLD AND GUARANTEED BY

"The House With Satisfied Customers"

THE N. D. PHELPS COMPANY,

136 North Main Street.

## Ten Dollars in Gold Free to All Customers

Can you guess how many beans in the big bottle now in our big window? Come and give a free guess. It costs you nothing. All you have to do is to trade 10c, 15c, 25c or \$1.00 or more and have as many guesses as you wish, free.

If you guess correct you get the gold. If you don't guess right some one else will. Just watch who gets the gold page.

We will give away as a New Year's gift to all customers \$10 in gold to those estimating the number of beans contained in the bottle. Five dollars in gold to the one estimating the exact number, and \$2.50 pieces to the two estimating the next nearest numbers. Come and give an estimate. Contest begins today and will close January 10, 1910.

A big line of Christmas gifts for Man and Boy to choose from at very low prices. Come in and see our display. We can please you

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